

Mycobacteriology PT Event March 2007

Sample Preparation

| Sample # | Microscopy Result |
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| SL 0711 | Moderate/Numerous acid-fast bacilli present * |
| SL 0712 | Moderate/Numerous acid-fast bacilli present* |
| SL 0713 | Negative, no acid-fast bacilli present* |
| SL 0714 | Negative, no acid-fast bacilli present* |
| SL 0715 | Moderate/Numerous acid-fast bacilli present* |

*Matrix mixed with *S. sanguis*, *B. cereus*, and *C. albicans*

Grading Scale

| | SL 0711 | SL 0712 | SL 0713 | SL 0714 | SL 0715 |
|----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| AFB Present | 20 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 20 |
| No AFB Present | 0 | 0 | 20 | 20 | 0 |